SCDHEC OFFICE OF OCEAN AND COASTAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PERMIT APPLICATION PUBLIC NOTICE

May 26, 2006

Permit Number:

OCRM-06-129-R

Permit ID:

54795

The SCDHEC Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management has received an application for a permit for the alteration of a critical area. This application was submitted pursuant to the Coastal Zone Management Act (Act 123) of the 1977 South Carolina General Assembly. The application, in brief, is described as follows:

APPLICANT:

CMMC, LLC.

C/O General Engineering & Environmental LLC

PO Box 30712

Charleston SC 29417

LOCATION:

On and adjacent to Cooper River at former Naval Base, North Charleston, Charleston County,

South Carolina.

TMS#: 400-00-00-110.

WORK:

The work as proposed and shown on the drawings consists of hydraulic dredging. The applicant seeks to dredge 1,750,000 cubic yards of material in front of berths for piers C, D, F, H, J, S, T and U located on the former Navy Base. The amount of dredge material varies at the individual piers. The spoil will be placed in the Clouter Creek Disposal Area. The work as described is for obtaining adequate depths for ships and commercial vessels. NOTE: This project was previously

authorized under 99-1T-219-P and the State authorization has expired.

This public notice is being distributed to all known interested persons and agencies to assist in developing facts on which a decision by OCRM can be based. Comments concerning the proposed work should be submitted in writing, setting forth sufficient detail to furnish a clear understanding of the reasons for support or opposition.

The decision to issue or deny a permit will be based on the individual merits of the application, the policies specified in the South Carolina Coastal Zone Management Act, and the considerations outlined in the State of South Carolina Coastal Zone Management Program. Interested parties who wish to be notified of final permit action must notify OCRM in writing of this request.

To assure review by OCRM, comments regarding this application must be received by OCRM on or before June 25, 2006. For further information please contact the project manager for this activity, Tess Rodgers at 843-747-4323 ext. 116.

PLEASE REPLY TO:

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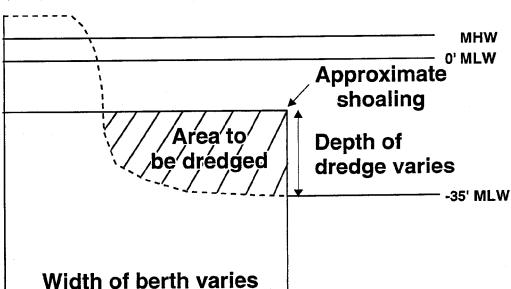
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Tess Rodgers, Regulatory Coordinator









Volume calculations to be provided with post-dredge hydrographic survey.

Notes

- 1.) Based on previous dredge volumes, it is estimated that approximately 3,525,000 cubic yards will be removed yearly.
- 2.) Project depth 35' unless otherwise noted
- Dredging performed by hydraulic dredge

Purpose: Maintenance Dredging

Survey Datum: MLW

Figure 3 Cross Section



This drawing is not to scale.

CMMC, LLC

Proposed: Maintenance Dredging

At:

CMMC, LLC

in:

Cooper River

County of: Charleston, South Carolina

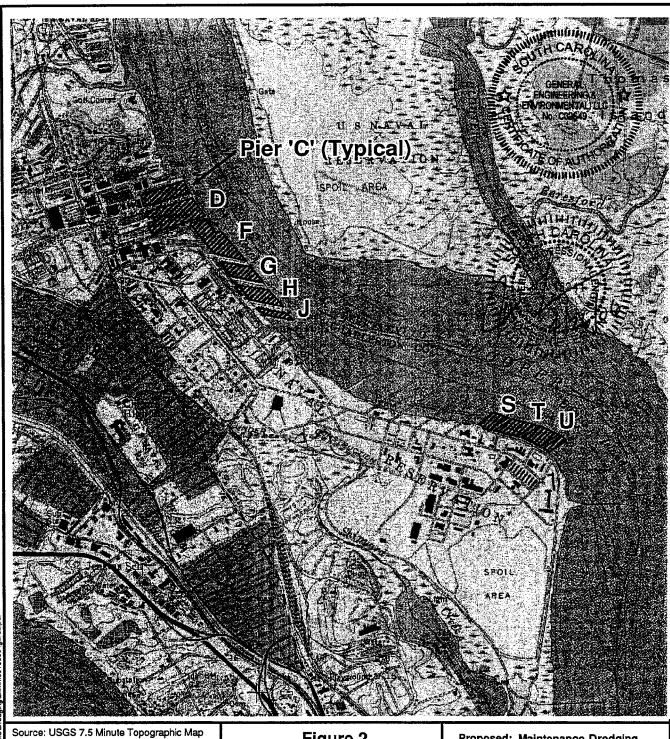
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Area to be dredged

Figure 2 **Proposed Dredge Areas**



2,000 Feet

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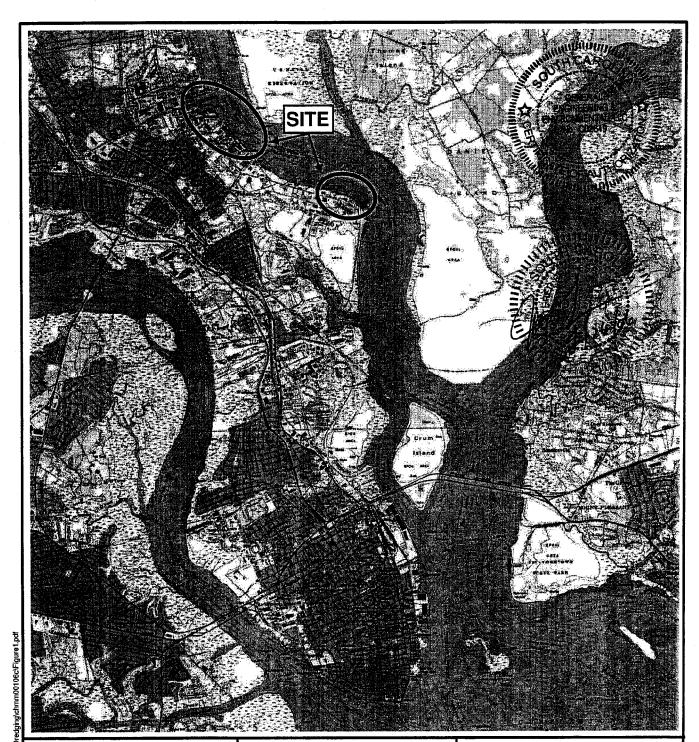
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Figure 1 Location Map



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5,000 Feet

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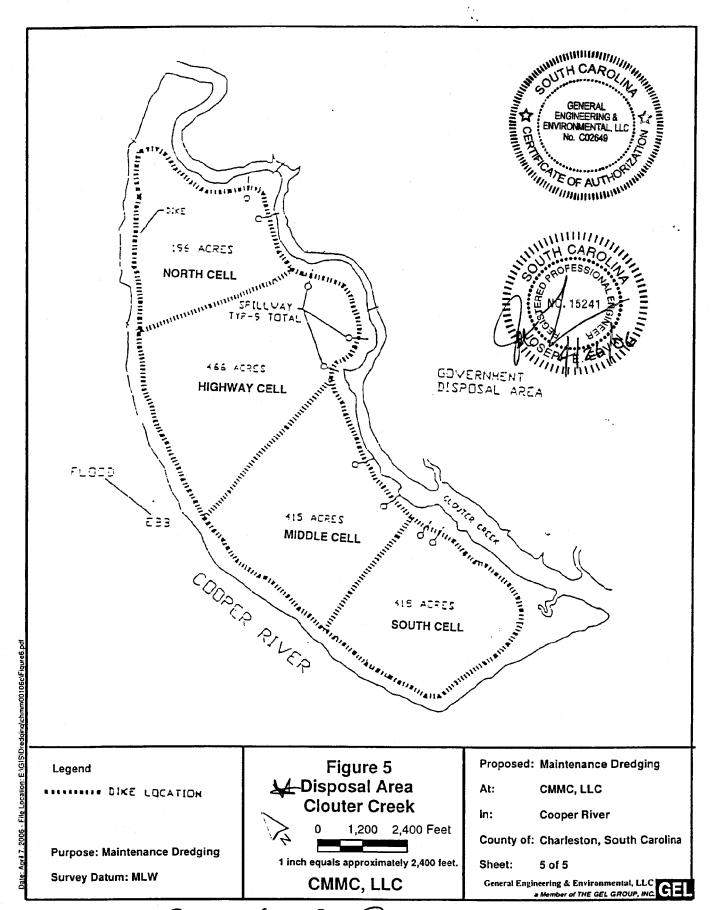
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Figure 4
Site Map
Disposal Area

0 5,000 Feet

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